



# U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

## DeSoto & Boyer Chute National Wildlife Refuges

### *June 2015 Calendar of Events*

#### **Weekend Wildlife Films.....Saturdays & Sundays**

1:30pm • Films are shown at the DeSoto Visitor Center

June 6 & 7 - *Watching Wildlife*

June 13 & 14 - *Creatures of the Sun*

June 20 & 21 - *Audubon's Bat Adventure*

June 27 & 28 - *The Snake's Tale*

#### **Evening Campground Talk .....Saturdays, June 6 & 20**

8pm • Meet at Wilson Island State Recreation Area Campground, Shelter #2

Join a ranger for a rousing talk about the mission of the National Wildlife Refuge System and DeSoto National Wildlife Refuge. **June 6:** *The Bertrand - A Moment Frozen in Time* /

**June 20:** *Wonders of Wetlands.*

#### **Discover DeSoto.....Saturdays, June 6, 13, 20, 27 and Sundays, June 7, 14, 28**

1pm • Meet at DeSoto Visitor Center

Grab your camera and binoculars and come out to discover the wildlife, plants, and history of DeSoto NWR.

We might hike a trail, go on a refuge tour, visit the steamboat Bertrand discovery site, or see a bald eagle nest. Dress appropriately to be outside.

Please check our website and Facebook page weekly for topics.

#### **Junior Refuge Manager.....Thursdays, June 11 & 25**

10am • Meet at DeSoto Visitor Center

Looking for some outdoor fun for your kids this summer? They will love the Junior Refuge Manager Program series! Program topics include bug study, forest exploration, wetland investigation, habitats, and more. Each date is a different program so feel free to attend one or all!

#### **Fishing Clinic.....Saturday, June 13**

10am-12pm • Meet at the South Gate Recreation Area

Discover the wonders of fishing! Grab your fishing poles and bait, or use equipment provided by the refuge.

Learn basic fishing instructions, fish identification, and enjoy a great day of fishing on the refuge.

#### **Boyer Chute Nature Hike.....Saturday, June 27**

10am • Meet at the Main Parking Area

We will hike approximately 4 miles to view the plants and wildlife that the refuge has to offer.

Dress appropriately for outdoors.

**All programs are free with a valid entrance permit.**